IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION - CINCINNATI

AMY JACKSON, : Case No. 1:20-cv-799

Plaintiff, : Judge Matthew W. McFarland

.

v.

RELIANCE CONSTRUCTION

SERVICES, LLC, et al.,

.

Defendants. :

ORDER

Before the Court are four motions: (1) a motion to withdraw, from Attorney Robert Thompson, seeking to withdraw from representation of Defendants (Doc. 28); (2) Plaintiff's motion for leave to file under seal (Doc. 29), seeking to file her motion to enforce settlement under seal; (3) Plaintiff's motion to reopen the case, enforce the settlement agreement, and set a hearing (Doc. 30); and (4) Defendants' motion for extension of time to respond to the previous motion to reopen the case, enforce the settlement, and set a hearing (Doc. 31). The Court rules as follows.

Motion to withdraw. Because the reasons stated in his motion constitute good cause, see S.D. Ohio Civ. R. 83.4(c), Mr. Thompson's motion to withdraw from the representation of Defendants (Doc. 28) is **GRANTED**.

Motion for leave to file under seal. Plaintiff's motion for leave to file her enforcement motion under seal does not apply the required analysis under Shane Grp., Inc. v. Blue Cross

Case: 1:20-cv-00799-MWM Doc #: 32 Filed: 04/08/22 Page: 2 of 2 PAGEID #: 285

Blue Shield of Michigan, 825 F.3d 299 (6th Cir. 2016). For that reason, the motion for leave

(Doc. 29) is **DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** to refile applying the proper *Shane Group*

analysis.

Motion to reopen case, etc., and related motion for extension. Plaintiff's motion to

reopen the case and enforce the settlement advances substantive legal arguments. (Doc.

30.) A response is due April 20, 2022. Because they will be seeking new counsel,

Defendants move for a 30-day extension of time to that response deadline. (Doc. 31.) For

good cause, the motion for extension (Doc. 31) is GRANTED. Defendants' response to

Plaintiff's motion to reopen the case and enforce settlement (Doc. 30) is due MAY 20,

2022. Defendants are advised to retain new counsel post-haste.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

Bv:

IUDGE MATTHEW W. McFARLAND

2